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TO: Minerals File

FROM: Tom Munson, Reclamation Specialist *tm*

RE: Site Inspection, Brush Resources Inc., Topaz Project, M/023/003, Juab County, Utah

Date of Inspection: February 28, 2001
Time of Inspection: 9:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Conditions: Sunny
Participants: Greg Hawkins, Clyde Yates, and John Wagner, Brush Resources; Larry Garahana and Jerry Mansfield, BLM; Tom Munson, DOGM

Purpose of Inspection: To ascertain and confirm the reclamation variance and release of Federal lands in Section 10

We traveled to two dump areas associated with BLM lands in Section 10, T.13 S., R.13 W. The purpose of the visit was to look at these areas to determine that they were revegetated and also so the company could request that these two areas be formally released from any further BLM involvement. Pictures were taken of both areas. The vegetative growth in both areas appeared to be good and was adequate for release, even if the areas had not been varianced and released on October 29, 1996 by the Division. This inspection confirmed the transfer of all lands within their current permit area was private and would only fall under State permitting requirements.

The following paperwork was handed out to the BLM and the State:

October 22, 1996 letter from the BLM to Brush Wellman
October 29, 1996 letter from the State to Brush Wellman
July 12, 2000 letter from the State to Brush Wellman
June 30, 2000 letter from the State to Brush Wellman
Three figures showing future disturbance, past disturbance and varianced areas within Section 10.

At the end of the visit the BLM requested that Brush Resources write a letter requesting closure of BLM lands so their files could be officially closed.

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cc: Larry Garahana, BLM
Greg Hawkins, Brush Resources
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